# Student Union Sees Half Century of Service





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# 11 Groups To Perform At AWS March Melodies

The Associated Women Students will present "March Melodies" tonight at 7 o'clock in the Morris Dailey auditorium, according to Jan Adams, chairman.

Thirtoen entries have been received. They are Marimur hall, "For You" and "The Green Cathedral"; Kappa Kappa Gamma, "Stairway to The Stars" and "In the Still of

sidewalk on the corner of San Fer-

nando and 7th streets bounding

the old high school campus and re-

Byron Bollinger, supervisor of

construction and repair, said yes-

have to begin work within 30 days" and it "will take about a

Mardi Gras Time

terday that the company

week to complete the job.

Kappa Alpha Theta, "Bewitched, College Lets Bothered and Bewildered" and "How High The Moon"; Alpha Phi, New Contract "Fools Rush In" and "How Do You Speak To An Angel"; Kappa Phi, "They Call The Wind Maria" and "Coming Thru The Rye."

Delta Zeta, "Cindy" and "Sometimes I Feel Like A Motherless place it with fresh cement was Child"; Gamma Phi Beta, "Hymn to a Hero" and "There's a Rainbow 'Round My Shoulder''; Sigma tecture Tuesday. Kappa, "Stormy Weather," "Sing-Byron Bolling ing In The Rain" and "Rain."

Alpha Omicron Pi, medley: "Lit-e Bit Of Heaven," "Peggy tle Bit Of Heaven," "Peggy O'Neil," "Harrigan," "My Wild Irish Rose," "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling," and "Irish Lullaby"; Mary George hall, "Teddy Bear Song" and "Winter Lullaby."

Chi Omega, "September Song" and Cornell's Alma Mater; Delta Gamma, "Give Me You're Tired, You're Poor" and "Hallelujah"; Alpha Chi Omega, "Blue Skies" "September Song" and "Somewhere Over The Rainbow."

NEW ORLEANS, March 2 (UP)—The King of the Zulus of Canal street today to signal the start of the last and most frantic hours of New Orleans gayest Martin Gras.

DOING A SPRING polishing job on the 1902 cornerstone of the Student Union, one of the oldest campus buildings still in use, is Pete Miller, custodian, "Pete," as he is known to the student body, became daytime manager of the building last fall after seven years spent in owning his own business.
PLAYING A little game of

cards, students sit around one of the tables in the Union on a typical afternoon, One of Pete's jobs, he says, is "seeing that the children have something to play with." George Singewald takes over during the Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings when the Union is open until 10 p.m. for recreation, JUST STROLLING past the Union are two students between

classes. The building, which was originally the city library con-structed from a \$50,000 Carnegie grant, has been in use since its completion in 1903 and has served as the Spartan social center since it was purchased by the state in 1937.

-photos by Steinheimer

# Camp Group Meets Today; Plans Reports

camp committee meeting this afternoon will be work on reports of the conference held last fall, Sara Cozad, new chairman of the group, announced recently.

When completed, the reports will be distributed to students who attended the camp, the Personnel Deans and other interested persons on campus, according to Miss Cozad.

Oct. 16 and 17 have been tentatively scheduled as the dates for the conference next fall, she said. Those dates were selected because no football games are planned for those days and the committee has awarded to A. J. Riesch Paving been assured by Athletic Director Co. by the State Dept. of Archi-Danny Hill that "none probably will be scheduled." according to Miss Cozad.

Possible topics for the Activities Evaluation picnic to be held spring quarter were discussed at the last meeting of the group.

Miss Cozad said that subjects discussed as possible topics for the picnic include the conduct of student elections and problems similar to those now under consideration by the Activities Evalnation committee.

James Jacobs was named as a second adviser to the group, subject to the approval of the President's Council,



# **AEC Digs Into** First Problems

The Activities Evaluation committee began in earnest yesterday afternoon to dig into the vast amount of material which it will study this year and several years to follow, by attempting to break down the work into specific categories.

Pat Engerud, secretary for the group, gave the specific objective

# Installation Heads Council Agenda

Heading the agenda for the Student Council at its fast meeting ers the installation of Al Behr as ities. freshman representative for a board, commented that "the comwere installed last week.

Other business to come before the Council will be a report by them and submit recommendations Vern Perry, Social Affairs committee chairman, and consideration of the proposed constitutional "It's going to do wonders for amendment establishing the Rec- the college," he predicted, "but ognition Day committee as an of- it's going to take an awfully long

of the committee as "the defining of problems and proof of where they exist among the 126 organizations on campus

The first problem singled out for discussion by the newly created student-faculty board was "the inadequate number of advisand chaperones which are of the quarter this afternoon is available to sponsor student activ-

Bill Eckert, chairman of the half-year term and Bob Beth as mittee has been given the project senior representative. Other class of evaluating every phase of stu-representatives to the Council dent life on campus." "If by June." he said, "we have defined and limited the problems so that next year's committee can work on by June of 1955, we will have done very well."

# World Famous Potter Will Speak Tomorrow



MARGUERITE WILDENHAIN displayed in the library.

Marguerite Wildenhain, one of the world's foremost potters, will speak on "Teaching Art" in the Engineering building lecture hall tomorrow at 9:30 a.m., according to Dr. Mary Hamilton, professor of English.

> Native of France, Mrs. Wildenhain possesses a broad knowledge of music, literature, painting and pottery: When Gordon Herr, founder of the famous Pond Farm Workshops, was seeking the best persons in all fields of the arts for his school, he selected Mrs. Wildenhain and her husband to teach the pottery section.

Mrs. Wildenhain also consented to give an exhibition of "throw-ing" at 10:30 a.m. following her talk. The demonstration will be presented in the college ceramics shop.

Examples of her work will be

Administrators Visit Campus

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NELSON WADSWORTH-Editor TOM McCLELLAND-Bus. Mgr Make-up Editor, this issue—DICK STEINHEIMER

Nobody Quit
Walt McPherson's casabamen deserve a pat on the back. The last whistle has blown, and the Spartans finished third in CBA play. It hasn't been the easiest season on record, but it has been the most exciting and at times the most heart-breaking.

At the first of the season, when the losses piled up and the fans began to call the team "hard-luck," not once did the team falter. It came right back and fought its way up the ladder to third place. In the process they dumped USF and Santa Clara, the first and second place teams, with convincing victories.

And the fans, too. They didn't quit, The stands were crammed with students for every game, even when we had lost five games in a row!

The fans sat through those close games. They yelled and jumped up and down in their seats, and after the game they walked away shaking their heads.

Then the Spartans snapped. They couldn't do anything wrong. They won six league games in a row and climbed from rock bottom to third place.

Just goes to show what a little fortitude and persistence can do.

# Wednesday, March 3, 1954 | Students Seek Reading Award Meetings To Hear Talk

Six students will compete for the \$25 Dr. Dorothy Kaucher Oral Reading Award today at 3:30 p.m. in Room 158 of the Music Building.

Competing students have been chosen from the classes of Miss Elizabeth Loeffler, Alden Smith, Dr. Lawrence Mouat, Mrs. Court-aney Brooks and Dr. Kaucher.

Entrants and their selections are Jeri Mitchell, Edward Bliss' "When at 7:30 p.m. in Room S210. Not In Rome," a humorous essay; Mary Moyer, "Tom Tit Tot," a mountain folk tale; Nancy Shultz, introduction to "Canterbury Tales" and "Frankie and Johnnie.

Joretta Titus, "The Congo," by Ratiel Lindsay; and Richard Riss, Edna St. Vincent Malay's "Ballad of the Harp Weaver." The last participant will represent Miss Loeffier's class.

Judges for the afternoon Miss Ruth Milford, Wallace Mur- p.m. in Spartan Daily office. ray and Miss Margaret Chamber-

Student chairman for the reading hour is Tom Luce, winner of last quarter's award.

### Scan-A-Graver

All pictures published in this issue of the Spartan Daily were printed from photo engravings produced by a Fairchild Scan-A-Gra-ver. Spartan Daily pictures usually are printed from zinc halftone engravings.

Alpha Gamma: Meet at 204 S. 8th St. tonight at 7:45 o'clock.

Eta Epsilon: Meet today at 7 p.m. in H-14.

Newman club: Meet today at 8 p.m. in Newman hall.

Pre-Medical society: Meet today

Presbyterian students and fac-ulty: Purchase Mackay luncheon tickets by 6 p.m. tomorrow.

Student Y: Meet tonight after March Melodies.

Tau Delta Phi: Meet tonight at 30 o'clock in the Tower. Vets club: Meet today at 3:30

p.m. in L-211. 30 club: Meets tomorrow at 7:30

AWS meeting today in Room 24 at 4:30 p.m.



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formed Pre-Medical society Room S210 at 7:30 o'clock.

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According to Dr. Marvin M. Shrewsbury, adviser, the society is open to all pre-medical majors or any related science major. The group is to meet twice monthly at which time speakers and movies will be featured.

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every TEXAN here on campus there is the reminder: people still don't understand the TEXAN. The revolution between TEXAS There are people who are still trying to tear down all that General

Imagine this vile and contemptidence Day may have been forgot-ten; but, now deep in the heart of ble editor who puts the name of line but all through his satirical editorial on TEXAS Independence Day. We loyal, red-blooded TEX-ANS tell the editor to stick to slurring the Student Council and leave the Republic of TEXAS

STAN HARVEY. ASB 1324 ROBERT HOUSE, ASB 2753

#### Make Way for News

Dear Thrust and Parry:

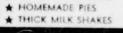
We are but a few of the many students who object to the "giganmasthead as it appears in the Spartan Dally. We are in favor of cutting this section down to in-clude only the editor, business manager and make-up editor. Save space for something more newsworthy.

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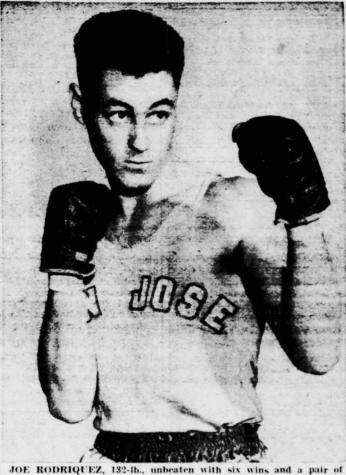
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# College Keglers Resume Race

The 1954 version of the San® Jose State College bowling league SF Gators Cancel will get under way this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Bridgeman's Re- Wrestling Match creation Center on West Santa Clara Ave., stated league chairman Dick Reese.

Reese said yesterday that the success of the league will depend largely on the initial turnout, "We would like to have 12 teams enter, welcome any fraternity bowlers,"

Last night's scheduled wrestling match between the Spartans and San Francisco State in the Men's gym was cancelled by the Gators, according to SJS Coach Hugh

would like to have 12 teams enter.
Mumby said the Gaters called the meet off due to a shortage of eligible men,

Entrants in the league will be kindicapped as they were last ling Tournament in Oakland next

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# Greek Relay Will Give

SPARTAN DAILY 3

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The eight-man fraternity relay time that the the sponsorship cups for them- ed to the first three places,

hope for the best, but now that Kappa Tau, Pi Kappa Alpha, Delta Coach Bud Winter has installed Sigma Phi, Sigma Pi and Alpha the Greek relay, sponsors can earn their own points, maybe enough to win the coveted crown

race of the interclass track festi-val Friday at Spartan field will be given for the first four Greeks have had a chance to win places and trophies will be award-

Tau Omega

## Baseball Schedule

The following is the 1954 Spartan baseball schedule: HOME GAMES

March 4-Alameda Air Base 8-Stanford 10-San Francisco State 20-Sacramento State

April 3-USF 6-USF 10-St. Mary's

17-COP 30-Santa Clara 7-Fresno

14-Fort Ord GAMES AWAY

March 6—Stanford 13—California

23-UCLA

24-Loyola

27-California April 2—Santa Clara

14-Alameda Air Base

21-San Francisco Cate 24-COP

27-Sacramento State

May 11-St, Mary's 15-USF

20—USF

22-Ford Ord

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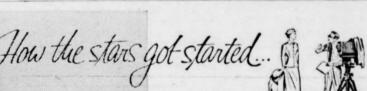
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# Sports Fans May Need **ASB Cards Plus Cash**

showing their student body cards, to get into athletic events, Glenn Hartranft, head of the P.E. department, said last week.

"Tiny" Hartranft, head of the P.E. department, said last response of "If we initiate this fee, it will vary according to the expense of the event, he said, citing 10 to 50 cents as the probable charges.

A committee, now studying pririlege cards Spartan Stadium



parking, seating and admission to games, is investigating the possibility of charging students for admission to

Hartranft said he reason they re considering he student fee is that many

HARTRANFT athletic events not self supporting, Many times the gate receipts fall short of the expenses, he said, and a fee should be charged to make up for the deficit

Serving on the committee are Bill Eckert and John Aitken, vice president and president of the stu-dent body; E. S. Thompson, business manager; William Felse, graduate manager; Hartranft, Bill Hubbard, director of athletics; Robert Johnson and Dr. H. Murray Clark, of the faculty; and Jerry Vroom, athletic graduate manager,

The time also may come when students will have their pictures on the student body cards," Hart-ranft said. "Members of the committee are investigating that possibility.

Recommendations of the committee will be referred to the athletic advisory board and Dr. Wahlquist for approval, according to Hartranft, Aitken and Eckert will report to the Student Council any decisions the committee makes.

On the other side of the privilege card set-up, San Jose State and one other college are the only schools in California allowing faculty free admission

Hartranft said "Three hundred faculty privilege tickets have been home again with its rightful ownissued to resident teachers, and ers after a long feud had develfaculty seating consumes an entire opened between the two classes section in Spartan Stadium.

The committee also is consid- concerning its whereabouts ering moving the faculty section

# Summer Bulletins

available in Room 1 of the Administration building, according to Dr. William Sweeney, acting dean of educational services

The bulletins feature preliminary announcement of courses and special features of the 1954 Golden Anniversary Summer

## Plaque Returns to Frosh



HANGING ON to the "real thing," President Bob Weiss lets Joel Saffron and members of the Frosh Council inspect the long lost Frosh-Soph Mixer Plaque. Weiss credits Ralph Abscal, Gene Salegui, Gene Larson and Garry Graham as responsible for its return.

## **Battered and Marred Missing Plaque** Comes Home to Amazed Frosh Council

dent Bob Weiss revealed the original Frosh-Soph Mixer plaque at Monday's meeting.

the authentic award was plaque looked like,

Draped in a red-striped piece of of the Spartan Stadium from 'U' cloth that looked like an old disto "I", one section closer to the carded skirt the "traditional symend zone, and making room for bol of victory" was brought forth Weiss. Supposedly the real ing its return.

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> Mounted on the front of the shield was a wood carving of the head of a Spartan knight which clearly indicated property of SJS

and the mixer award. Weiss stated he could not reveal the place or persons who held the plaque "because he would invalidate his promise made in seek-

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# Sparta's Ski Club Wins Two Second Places

Ski Federation team championships during the weekend, local Ski club president Lee Yip announced yesterday.

University of California took the Tri-College with 197 points to San Jose's 128. Tom Weese, Jay Fox and Jim Triplett won merchandise orders given by the San Jose club. Marion Bessonette and Karen Sharick tied for first and split two merchandise orders in the women's division. Marguerite McIver also won a merchandise order.

Five men and two women represented San Jose State in the Bay Area Championships. The Alpineers of San Francisco won the team title-with a composite time of 307.4. San Jose was second with 317.7 and University of California third with 323.6.

Yip turned in the best San Jose time in the Giant Slalom with a 42.4. Lief Sommereth of Univer-

#### Gloria Swanson

Gloria Swanson, Hollywood film tar, will visit Hale's Department Store this afternoon as commentator for two spring fashion shows, one at 12:30 and the other at 3 o'clock. Style shows will be held on the second floor.

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placed second in both the Tri-Col- time for the event with 40.8. Yip lege Ski festival and the Bay Area took fourth in men's competition.

Marion Bessonette and Karen Sharick took third and fourth in the women's event with 56.5 and 57.6 respectively.



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